

PATENT APPLICATION

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Applicants: Koso YAMAOKA et al

For: WEATHER STRIP FOR DOOR PROVIDED WITH LATCH

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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated <u>December 5, 2005</u>, please amend the above-identified application as follows: (Please see following pages.)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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